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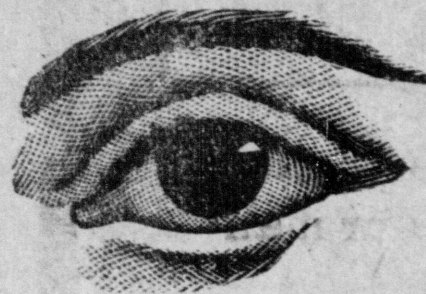
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**SPRAGUE
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Ada, Oklahoma

Tuesday evening, County Judge
Joel Terrell performed the marriage
ceremony in his office, which united
T. J. Odom, aged 22, and Miss Ethel
Hughes, 188, of Ahloso.

OKLAHOMA'S LEGISLATURE

Senator Roddie Introduces Bill for State Normal at Ada--Other Proceedings.

More bills were introduced in the senate asking locations of public institutions. Senator Taylor began with a bill to locate the Girls' Industrial School at Chickasha, but carried no appropriation for buildings. Senator Allen followed with a proposal to put the Southeastern State Normal at Ardmore, carrying \$150,000 appropriation. Senator Smith, to place the same institution at Duncan at a cost of \$100,000, and Senator Roddie offered his bill locating the school at Ada with \$100,000 appropriated.

Gambling Bill Drastic.

Senator Smith's bill to make gambling punishable by a penitentiary sentence, is creating much comment, and a lively tilt among lawmakers is likely to result.

The Smith bill is drastic in its provisions. It would impose a penitentiary sentence upon the man who conducts a game, also upon the landlord who rents a building for gambling purposes, and for the man who merely plays. Senator Smith would hand out a heavy fine and a jail sentence.

Job for Murray.

A bill by Harrison provides the completion of the records of the

constitutional convention, appropriating \$3500 for the work and naming ex-Speaker Murray as chairman of the commission at \$7 per day, with one other member, to be named by the governor.

Good Roads Measure.

Representative Putnam of Oklahoma City today proposed a bill which probably will form the nucleus of good roads legislation, one of the most important matters to come before the legislature.

It provides for the appointment of a state commissioner at an annual salary of \$3600 to serve four years. The state, county, township and abutting property owners are to stand the expense equally pro rated for the improvements.

For the purpose of carrying out the state's part of the measure an appropriation of \$1,000,000 is provided.

The roads are to be not less than eight nor more than 16 feet wide. The bill contemplates on uniform system.

One of the most aggressive organizations to open headquarters in Guthrie is the township trustees' association. President D. T. Wit, of Vinita, is here with resolutions adopted at a meeting of township officers at Oklahoma City last November. The recommendations he is pushing ask for a law assessing a two-dollar poll tax for all able-bodied men under fifty years of age; for the cutting of weeds, grass and brush from highways twice each year; placing a salary of road overseers at \$3 per day; the employment of all prisoners on roads when sentenced to more than ten days in jail; for two roads crossing the counties near the county seats; the assessment of dogs for good roads revenues.

House Committees.

The personnel of the standing house committees as appointed by Speaker Wilson, is as follows:

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SAFE BLOWERS

There are professional safe blowers in Ada, or have been.

Last night between 12 and 1 o'clock the safe at the Katy depot was blown open with nitroglycerine.

It is not known how much money was secured, but only a small amount could have been gotten, as the vault was not entered.

The work was done by professionals, as they soaped the crevice between door facing and the door and poured only a sufficient of nitroglycerine to blow off the door, which was found shattered and a few feet away.

And as further proof that the safe blowers knew the amount of nitroglycerine to use, is the fact that a small bottle was found in the office this morning about half filled with the explosive.

Several dollars in silver were found on the floor, and it is not believed that to exceed nine or ten dollars was outside the vault.

Agent Green of the Katy, left a few days ago for Kansas City, to attend a law suit, and he locked the safe before leaving, and as he is the only one in the office knowing the combination, neither the amount that was outside the vault, nor the sum inside, is known.

Agent George Twist, of Konawa, is temporarily acting as agent here for the Katy, and the day's receipts are each night taken from the depot and deposited.

Several persons near the depot heard the explosion, and it is supposed the robbers were frightened away by the loudness of the report made, as well as the close proximity of people. At all events, they did not attempt to get into the vault, which they could have done shortly with their evident experience. The safe is not an improved one, so was not burglar proof.

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Farmer Suddenly Awakes and Sees
Bridge Burning.

Muskogee, Okla., Jan. 12.—Startled, arising from his bed for some unknown reason, Robert Tanner, a farmer, last night went to the window of his room, and, looking out, saw the big Midland Valley bridge near San Bois, Okla., burning. He heard the shrill whistle of the locomotive as the night oil train rounded the curve. He knew that there was no time to be lost, and rushing out in the cold, clothed in nothing but his night robe, flagged the train, which came to a standstill within thirty feet of the bridge. If the warning had not been given the train would have fallen into a thirty-foot gorge and the entire train of thirty oil cars burned. A wrecking crew repaired the bridge in fourteen hours.

Sixty years ago the use of flint and steel to produce a fire was not wholly unknown.

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OUTLOOK PROMISING.

The outlook for Ada securing the State Normal could not be more promising assures Chief Clerk of the house of Representative, the Hon. W. H. Ebey.

There is no question but that the foundation has been satisfactorily laid and that Ada's interests are at present being capably and effectively looked after.

But the citizens of Ada and Pontotoc county, all of whom are substantially, if not vitally interested in the achievement of the success in the State Normal proposal for this city, should not for a moment lose sight of the fact that numerous wealthy, vigorous cities, throughout one-half of this great and large state are endeavoring in every manner, allowed by law, to secure the State Normal prize, Ada recognized as the one formidable contestant and her fortifications are being charged from all sides.

While Ada stands geographically in the center of the population of southeast Oklahoma, with six outlets of railway, well divided egress through the rich mineral and agricultural sections of all east and south Oklahoma, and more, while Ada offers all the modern conveniences of any city and all the natural advantages which could be encompassed within one locality, such as high altitude, pure and abundant water, the finest building material, in short, possessing a topography which would be coveted anywhere, there are some other—more often than not—essentials, which must not be overlooked.

Every day at Guthrie, governorships, United States senatorships and what not, are being traded by other

towns for the Ada State Normal. Ada's material along this line is so valuable to trade, but there is required money with which to conduct the necessary and legitimate expenses of the Normal campaign.

And the legitimate expenses of the campaign will reach several hundred dollars. The display of Ada's varied and attractive resources and the distribution of suitable literature must receive daily, proper attention.

A letter just received from Guthrie states that though the situation appears favorable indeed, help may be required at any time. The committee consisting of E. H. Lucas, W. L. Reed, J. W. Hays, Tom Hope, W. H. Ebey, W. C. Duncan and Otis Weaver has borne the expense of the campaign so far.

This committee will be enlarged by President Lucas this afternoon, when a 5 o'clock meeting will be held at the club rooms.

It is your interest as well as others. Wade in.

Arthur Capper, owner and publisher of the Topeka Capital and a number of other publications, is one publisher who is proving his belief in advertising by the use of printers' ink. He is doing by far the best advertising that is being done by any publication in the country at the present time.—Denison Herald.

Any newspaper publisher or printer should advertise the same as any other business. Those who cannot afford to use other than their own means of publicity should not fail to utilize that to the fullest extent. In this advanced age, no kind of business can prosper without advertising, and the newspapers are the best medium yet found through which to successfully reach the public.

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PONTOTOC'S REPRESENTATIVES.

In the make-up of the committees of the lower house of the Oklahoma legislature, Pontotoc county's representatives fared well and their constituency appreciate the honor shown them of which they are most worthy. L. S. Ratliff is on the committees of legal and advisory, public buildings and state institutions, charity and corrections.

Frank Huddleston is chairman of the committee on pharmacy, and member of general appropriations, protection of birds and games committee.

President Roosevelt is said to have placed Senator Tillman under police surveillance. The old lion of the Palmetto state has his faults but he is as brave as lion. Wonder if the president ordered secret service men to dog the footsteps of Nelson W. Aldrich, the boss of the senate and the chum of Rockefeller and Rogers? If not, why not?—Ardmoreite.

Why not? Simply because Nelson W. Aldrich the boss of the senate and the chum of Rockefeller and Rogers, is also indirectly the boss of the republican party, through the Standard billions. President Roosevelt is not looking for that size game even if he is willing to try the wilds of Africa.

People have time to read now and the business man who acquaints them with his goods and bargains during this lull will receive the benefit when the rush again starts.

Now comes the "slush" after the "beautiful" snow.

PRESS COMMENT.

Possibly the president is endeavoring to get himself into good trim for meeting the wild animals of Africa.—Denison Herald.

Judge Landis refuses to sit again in the Standard Oil case. Who can blame him, with Federal Judge Peter J. Groscup on the upper bench?—Ardmoreite.

The Oklahoma officer who resigned because Gov. Haskell censured him appears to be rather thin-skinned for that climate. He ought to come South.—Dallas News.

A Cincinnati mail order house says it has a brand of whiskey that is suitable for both sexes. The name of the brand is not mentioned, but we suspect it is "Old Bust Developer" or something like that.—Houston Post.

Kate Barnard's threat to carry the Kansas penitentiary investigation to the gates of heaven is far-fetched. Does she expect her witnesses to be at the pearly gates at the time the investigation starts?—Muskogee Times-Democrat.

Citizens of Ada who have friends or relatives visiting them, or when they go elsewhere on a visit, will confer a favor on the News by calling up No. 4 and phoning the information.

Italy during the next sixteen years will spend \$107,000,000 to construct 992 miles of new railroads as well as to improve existing roads.

TILLMAN TO SPEAK AGAIN

Washington, Jan. 12.—Notwithstanding the demand made in his speech, there will not be, as was intimated in dispatches last night, any investigation of Senator Tillman's relations with those Oregon promoters who are trying to wrest from one of Mr. Harriman's railroads some of the land which had been granted to it by the government. The essential facts have been so clearly disclosed as to make an investigation superfluous, in the opinion of the men who rule the senate. It is regarded as probable, however, that the appropriation committee will feel it incumbent to make some observations on this Tillman matter during the course of its reports on the use of the secret service. These observations, it is already intimated, will be more satisfactory to Senator Tillman than to President Roosevelt.

Question of Ethics.

The more matured opinion in the senate, and indeed among congressmen generally, is more indulgent to Senator Tillman than was the first verdict. Abstractly, as a proposition of ethics, no one attempts to justify

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fy Senator Tillman's course. It is generally agreed that in attempting to bring about a condition which would inure to his personal profit Senator Tillman did not practice his own preachments, but it is not generally believed that in seeking to have the land grant voided Senator Tillman was actuated by the hope of personal profit, but rather by the belief that the terms of the grant had been violated. His offense was in first having made himself a preferential beneficiary.

Animosity Toward President.

But undoubtedly this more indulgent disposition toward Senator Tillman is due to the growing animosity which nearly all members of congress feel toward the president. It is well-nigh the unanimous opinion that the president sought to exaggerate Senator Tillman's offense and that in doing so he was moved both by personal hatred of Senator Tillman as well as by a desire still further to injure the reputation of the senate.

The bitterness of feeling toward the president intensifies rather than

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abates. It is now manifestly the purpose both of the senate and of the house not only to take up the gage of battle which he has thrown to them, but to fight him aggressively. To this end, while the house is gathering evidence to show that he has created a secret police far greater than any one has imagined, the senate, in the same unamiable spirit, is going to try to prove that he has been a reckless spender of government money, devoting some funds not only to purposes which were clearly intended, but in ways that were clearly violative of law.

Tillman to Speak Again.

Meanwhile Senator Tillman is gathering data for another speech. The purpose of this speech is to show that however blunt may be his own sense of propriety, it is at least as acute as that of the president. To accomplish his purpose he is said to be making researches to a time as far back as when President Roosevelt was a civil service commissioner. It is perhaps unnecessary to say that in this enterprise Senator Tillman is receiving plenty of encouragement on both sides of the chamber. All these things are timed to happen during the closing days—during closing hours, one might say, of President Roosevelt's administration, so that, as far as congress may accomplish it, his exit from the White House will be in a blaze of anything else than glory.

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by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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No. 51 due 4:10 p. m.
Westbound.
No. 509 due 9:40 a. m.
No. 507 due 9:00 p. m.

M. K. & T.
Southbound.
No. 111 due 11:10 a. m.
Northbound.
No. 112 due 4:05 p. m.

OKLAHOMA CENTRAL.
Westbound.
No. 3 due 10:32 a. m.
Eastbound.
No. 2 due 4:07 p. m.

W. M. McWhirt of Roff transacted business in Ada today.

All kinds of feed at M. Walsh's. 247d3t

C. W. Moran was over from Roff this morning.

Hot nerver at Ramsey's. 240tf

W. M. Bowman of Roff was in Ada today.

A. W. Cape of Fitzhugh was a business visitor in Ada today.

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Mrs. N. B. Shands of Wewoka is visiting her mother, Mrs. Stevenson.

Miss Ruth Sowers has returned from a visit in Denison, Tex.

W. A. Alexander made a business trip to Francis today.

Mr. Kerens, who has been transacting business in Ada for several weeks returned to Pauls Valley this morning.

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Legal blanks for sale at this office.

C. C. Nash returned this morning from Waxahachie and Dallas, Tex., where he attended the burial of his brother-in-law, P. L. Clinton. Mrs. Nash remained with Mrs. Clinton, who is in a state of nervous prostration.

Jno. P. Hall, of Muskogee, representing the Union Central Life and Trust Company of that city, with a capitalization of a half million dollars, is in Ada on business. He is a genial gentleman and experienced politician, having been one of Gov. Haskell's managers at Muskogee.

Joe Sloan of Center was in Ada yesterday evening.

FOR RENT—A furnished room with heat and large closet. Phone 60. 249d1t

Notice.
During my absence in Chicago for surgical study in hospitals, my partner, Dr. Faust, will attend to my practice. I will be gone about one month.
DR. H. BROWALL.

CHAPMAN
The Shoe Man
East Main Street, Ada, Okla.

W. E. Tigner, of Roff, is a visitor in the city today.

J. T. Tigner, of Conway, is in Ada today.

W. McWhirt, the oil mill man of Roff, is in the city on business today.

County Treasurer Henry J. Bond of Atoka, a full-blood Choctaw, is in Ada today, on business.

Mrs. J. O. Dowell, of Fate, Texas, and L. M. Perry, of Garland, Texas, attended the funeral today of their brother, Robert McCain, which was conducted by Rev. W. M. Wilson, and the remains interred in Rosedale cemetery.

Berry Jones of Oakman was in town today after medicine for his brother, Hiram Jones, who is afflicted with rheumatism, living 15 miles northeast of Ada, and also reports that Lee Hodge of Oakman, his brother-in-law is very low with consumption.

More Land Assessed.
County Clerk Kerr says that about \$10,000 worth of land has been added for taxation since the report of the assessors, and nearly all of this has been voluntarily made, where it was overlooked.

Among those reporting \$2,000 worth of the land is County Treasurer Bond, of Atoka.

Hose and Reel Arrived.
The one thousand feet of fire hose and hand reel have arrived, so the Ada fire department is now better prepared to contend with any conflagrations.

It is contemplated to put one hand reel in North Ada and the other in south or east residence section, each reel with about 800 feet of hose, while the wagon and team will cover the business district.

Then Held Prayer Meeting.
Woodward, Okla., Jan. 12.—The breaking of a big dam on the George Roy ranch, southwest of Woodward, flooded the lower country and greatly endangered the lives of numerous farmers and their families, as the force of the water carried everything before it. Following the announcement that no lives were lost, Mr. Roy called a prayer meeting of all neighbors at his residence last night, and a thanksgiving service was continued until past midnight.

One of the pleasantest tokens of coming days lies in the appearance of the new drama by Hal Reid called, "The Cow-Puncher" which opens a one night engagement at the Ada Opera House on Thursday night, Jan. 14th. It has already established itself into high favor in the East, after dreary monotonous string of lurid plays the indulgent public has been subjected to in the past seasons, this simple but interesting play of life on the plains of Arizona comes to us like a cooling draught of water fresh from the well of nature. Its chief charm is its plain and wholesome sentiment. Not that it is an ordinary drama, it is too honest and grave for that, there are no affectations or appeals for maudlin sentiment. It appeals to the heart, and at times flashes of bright comedy creep forth that seem to fit in, and lend color and atmosphere to the story. An excellent cast has been provided. W. F. Mann, the producer has spent a small fortune on the two carloads of scenery, electrical effects and properties necessary for its production, and we are expecting the "Cow-Puncher" to prove one of the pleasantest dramatic events of the season. At the Ada opera house, Thursday, night, Jan. 14.

Profitable to the County.
Register of Deeds Hargis is one profitable officeholder that Pontotoc county has, as the fees in excess of salary up to date, amount to \$422.00. The office of register of deeds is kept in a most excellent manner and in a way to expediate the work.

Oklahoma State Bank.
The stockholders of the Oklahoma State Bank held a meeting yesterday evening and elected the following directors:

J. W. Hays, W. H. Ebey, W. D. Hays, C. W. Floyd, B. H. Epperson, R. W. Simpson, Jno. P. Crawford, F. S. Houtt and L. E. Patterson. The directors then elected the following officers:

J. W. Hays, president; W. H. Ebey, vice president; W. D. Hays, cashier; L. A. Ellison, assistant cashier.

A satisfactory business was reported by the officers of the Oklahoma State bank with which the stockholders were much pleased. A strong board of directors has been selected for the Oklahoma State bank, and together with the former officers who are experienced and popular, that solid financial institution will be as successful in the future as it has in the past.

FOUND—Any one losing a small sum of money on Main street, enquire at News office and receive information and pay for this notice. 248d1t

The Pension Roll.
During the entire year ending June 30, 1908, the total number of pensioners on the roll was 1,006,053. At the close of the year there were on the roll 951,687 pensioners—658,071 soldiers and sailors, 293,106 widows and orphans, and 510 army nurses. The gains to the roll during the year were 37,605 new pensioners and 1,073 restorations and renewals, a total of 38,678. Of this number, 339 were pensioned by special acts of congress. The losses to the roll during the same time were 50,676 by death and 3,690 from other causes, a total of 54,366. The net loss for the year, therefore, was 15,684. The number of deaths of soldiers and sailor pensioners of the civil war for the year was 34,333.

THE KATY FLYER IS WRECKED

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 12.—Twenty-two persons were injured, four of them seriously, this afternoon when the Katy Flyer from Texas went into the ditch at Hamburg, Mo., while rounding a curve at thirty-five miles an hour. The 200 passengers on the train were thrown headlong in every direction when the pine coaches left the track and the majority of those inside the coaches escaped by climbing out of windows. The injured were lifted out the same way and for nearly two hours they stood about in the immense snowdrifts along the track waiting for a relief train.

Due into St. Louis at 8 a. m. the train was eight hours late at Hamburg, a hamlet of less than 200 people. Two engines were battling their way through the drifts, the Flyer being the first train through today. While plunging around the curve where the wreck occurred, the front trucks on the first car, a chair car, gave way, and every coach followed it from the tracks.

Order for Hearing Petition to Sell Real Estate by Guardian.
State of Oklahoma, Pontotoc County, ss. In County Court.

In the matter of the guardianship of Caroline Illetawahke, Malina Illetawahke and Peggy Illetawahke. Now, on this 7th day of Jan. 1909, comes Charles Illetawahke as guardian of the estate of the above named wards having filed herein his petition for the sale of the real estate of said wards for the reasons in said petition stated.

IT IS ORDERED, That said petition be and hereby is set for hearing on the 8th day of February, A. D. 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m., at which time the next of kin and all persons interested in the estate of said wards are required to appear and show cause, if any they have, why an order should not be granted for the sale of so much of the real estate of said wards as is necessary for the reasons in said petition stated, or that personal service hereof be made upon said next of kin and persons interested in the estate of said wards as required by law. It is further ordered that a copy of this order be published for 10 successive days in the Ada Daily News of Ada, Okla.

JOEL TERRELL,
County Judge.
Dated this 7th day of Jan. 1909. 244d10t

HOME ABSTRACT AND REAL ESTATE COMPANY.

General Abstract, Loan and Real Estate business. Fire and Tornado Insurance. Southern Surety Company of Oklahoma. Office in rear of First National bank.

COALGATE MINERS ON STRIKE

Coalgate, Okla., Jan. 12.—With pick and shovel, one thousand miners employed in the Coalgate coal mines, walked out on strike today prepared to refuse to work until the operators agree to observe the state law providing that only sufficient blasting powder for one day's use be carried into the mine.

The walkout followed a dispute with the operators. The miners demanded that the officials not permit more than enough powder for 24 hours' use to be taken into the pits. This the coal barons refused to sanction and the tie-up resulted. The men claim that the companies are violating the state mining law in this respect.

Should the cold weather which now prevails, last longer than a week it is probable that the strike will have a telling effect. The men are firm in the determination not to give in and, on the other hand, the mine officials are equally positive that the strike will be broken.

An effort looking toward arbitration of the differences between the two factions will probably be made if strike is not settled within a reasonable time.

Tall Lifting.
Many remarkable but yet properly touched for feats of skill are recorded of professional golfers. Thus on one occasion when in his prime the late Tom Morris, Sr., undertook to demonstrate his ability in lifting a ball. For this purpose he stood in a quarry underneath the familiar Ballochmyle bridge and sent a number of "gutties" in succession up to the footpath at the top, a height of nearly 150 yards. Probably without knowing it in doing so he was emulating an earlier performance of an Edinburgh player who once drove half a dozen balls over the spire of St. Giles' cathedral from the level of the street.

Given the Mitten.
One cold day a lovesick young man, who had for some time harassed a young lady with his attentions, was hurrying along the street behind this very young lady when he perceived, with delight, something drop from her muff to the sidewalk. Picking it up, the gallant young man rushed ahead and, accosting her, smilingly held out her recovered property. Without deigning to accept it, she eyed him coldly a moment, then said: "You may keep it; it's my mitten."

Bad Scoring.
"Yes, he's one of the worst marksmen I ever met."
"Never misses up the target, eh?"
"I should say not. Why, when he goes to vote he can't even get the cross in the circle."

A Mexican Dish.
Into a baking dish put a layer of macaroni (after it has been thoroughly cooked in salted water), then a few spoonfuls of gravy from roast beef; cover with tomato catsup, then another layer of macaroni, gravy and catsup on top. Set in the oven to brown.

Church Directory

First Baptist Church.
No pastor at present: Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Sunday School 9:45 a. m., W. U. Duncan, superintendent. B. Y. P. U. Sunday afternoon at 6:30.

Christian Church
Services Sunday morning at 11 and Sunday evening at 7:30. Rev. C. E. Smootz, pastor.
Sunday School at 10 a. m., L. T. Walters, superintendent
Ladies Aid meets first and third Wednesdays and C. W. B. M. first Thursday in each month. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30.

First Presbyterian Church.
Services every Sunday morning at 11 and evening at 7:30. Rev. W. T. Ahrenbeck, pastor.
Sunday School at 9:45 a. m., J. T. Higgins, superintendent. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30. Ladies Aid Society meets every other Wednesday.

Presbyterian Church.
Services Sunday morning at 11 and Sunday evening at 7:30. Rev. J. D. White, pastor.
Sunday School at 9:45, Orville Sneed, superintendent. Junior Endeavor society meets every Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Ladies Aid Society meets every Monday afternoon at 2:30.

North Ada Baptist Church.
Services every Sunday morning at 11 and Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. Rev. D. J. Austin, pastor.
Sunday School every Sunday morning at 9:45, A. N. Harrison, super-

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DR. J. D. THOMPSON,
DENTIST.
Ada National Bank Bldg. Ada, Okla.
Phone 265.

DR. T. H. GRANGER,
DENTIST.
Phone No. 212.
Rooms 1 and 2, First Nat'l Building.

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Medicine and Surgery.
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Office Phone 195. Res. 251 and 38
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DR. H. T. SAFFAREANS
DENTIST
Office Conn Building, over Surprise Store, Ada, Oklahoma.
Office Phone 57. Res. 242.

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CIVILIZED MAN ALONE SNORES.

Unpleasant Habit Absolutely Unknown Among Savages.

It is a truism that no one ever heard of a snoring savage. In fact, if the wild man of the woods and plains does not sleep quietly, he runs the risk of being discovered by his enemy, and the scalp of the snorer would soon adorn the belt of his crafty and more quietly sleeping adversary. With civilization, however, we have changed all this, declares a writer in Health. The impure air of our sleeping rooms induces all manner of catarrhal affections. The nasal passages are the first to become affected. Instead of warming the inspired air on the way to the lungs, and removing from it the dangerous impurities with which it is loaded, the nose becomes obstructed. A part of the air enters and escapes by the mouth. The veil of the palate vibrates between the two currents—that through the mouth and the one still passing through the partially closed nostrils—like a torn sail in the wind. The snore, then, means that the sleeper's mouth is partially open, that his nose is partially closed, and that his lungs are in danger from the air not being properly warmed and purified. From the continued operation of these causes—the increase of impure air in sleeping rooms and permitting habitual snorers to escape killing and scalping—some scientist has predicted that in the future all men (and all women, too) will snore. It goes along with decay of the teeth and baldness.

FEW WORDS, BUT TO THE POINT.

Elder Evidently Meant There Should Be No Misunderstanding.

Last summer the congregation of a little kirk in the Highlands of Scotland was greatly disturbed and mystified by the appearance in its midst of an English lady who made use of an ear trumpet during the sermon—such an instrument being entirely unknown in those simple parts.

There was much discussion of the matter, and it was finally decided that one of the elders—who had great local reputation as a man of parts—should be deputed to settle the question. On the next Sabbath the unconscious offender again made her appearance and again produced the trumpet, whereupon the chosen elder rose from his seat and marched down the aisle to where the old lady sat, and entreating her with an upraised finger, said, sternly:

"The first toot—ye're oot!"—Harper's.

A Good Inheritance.

No boy or girl can ever come to be utterly bad who remembers only love and tenderness and unselfishness and sweetness as associated with father and mother in the old-time home. Give them manly and womanly examples, give them training, give them the inspiration of devoted lives, give them these higher, deeper things. Do not care so much as to whether you are accumulating money, so that you can leave them a fortune. I really believe that the chances are against that being a blessing for a boy. But leave them an accumulated fortune of memories and inspirations and examples and hopes, so that they are rich in brain and heart and soul and service. Then, if you happen to leave them the fortune besides, if they have all these, the fortune will be short of its possibilities of evil, and will become an instrument of the higher and nobler good.—Minot J. Savage.

Was He Delirious?

"Almost every man," says a Baltimore specialist, "learns sooner or later to think of his doctor as one of his best friends, but this fact does not hinder the world from laughing at the profession."

"How is our patient this morning?" asked a physician, a fellow-graduate of mine, of a patient's brother.

"Oh, he's much worse," came from the other in a tone of dejection. "He's been delirious for several hours. At three o'clock he said: 'What an old woman that doctor of mine is!' and he hasn't made a rational remark since."—Lippincott's.

Pistols for Two.

Mr. Burr to Mr. Hamilton: "You must perceive, sir, the necessity of a prompt and unqualified acknowledgment or denial of the use of any expression which would warrant the assertions of Dr. Cooper."

Mr. Hamilton to Mr. Burr: "Your first letter, in a style too peremptory, made a demand, in my opinion, unprecedented and unwarrantable. . . but by your last letter, containing expressions indecorous and improper, you have increased the difficulties to explanation intrinsically incident to the nature of your application."

To Be Original Be Honest and Sincere

To be original, we must be natural, that is enough; and if we are honest and sincere we shall be original; begin each day with a mind as open as a child's negatively alive to the new world and the new year that begins with every dawn; reverence our impulses, respect them as we would the tenderest shoots from our costliest bulbs. Theory, knowledge, precedents kill impulse, even as certainly as life murders youth.—Gutzon Borglum in Craftsman.

Flattering.

Crusty Old Croesus—You do not appreciate in the least what I did for you when I made you my wife.

Gay Young Wife—But I will when I'm your widow.



"God Give me this little gal to care for, and I'm going to care right for her." Scene from "The Cow Puncher." At Ada Opera House, January 14, 1909.

FROM FEES TO SALARY BASIS

Guthrie, Okla., Jan. 12.—Senator Graham's bill to change the office of clerk of the supreme court from a fee to a salary compensation will, it is understood, meet the approval of the two appeal courts with which the clerk is in constant contact. The office is elective by the people, where as in many states, elective by the judges, and here it is placed on the same basis as the governor or any other state office, except as to compensation. Under the proposed change all the fees coming to the clerk's office are placed in the general state revenue fund, and out of the public funds the clerk, one deputy and four stenographers are to draw salaries. The clerk's pay will be about \$3,500 per annum. As it is the clerk receives all the fees and pays the help, retaining what is left for himself.

Companion to the Graham bill is one by Senator Franklin establishing a new schedule of fees for the office, it being an average of the schedules of Texas, Arkansas and Alabama. It is some lower than that of Texas.

The supreme court clerk in Oklahoma is also clerk of the court of criminal appeals. Under the system here appeals may be taken from the seventy-five county courts to the supreme court of criminal appeals, likewise from the twenty-one district courts and considering it on a unit basis, the office is required to take care of appeals from 192 courts. The system of California and Texas were followed by the constitutional convention in drafting the judicial machinery for Oklahoma. In Texas it is shown there is a supreme court and a court of criminal appeals, with intermediate tribunals in five judicial districts. Each court is served by a special clerk and stenographers who receive salaries and a percentage of the fees. The new state was required by the enabling act to assume a vast amount of litigation from both territories, and since the land in the eastern portion of the state is becoming taxable and alienable, it is pointed out that the volume of business from there has not begun.

SENATOR JEFF DAVIS ILL.

Wins Suit With a Fee of \$79,000. St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 12.—United States Senator Jeff Davis of Arkansas, is ill in a St. Louis hotel and his family has been summoned. The Senator was obliged to retire from a case in the United States circuit court.

The nature of his illness can not be definitely learned, the Senator claiming he is suffering from a severe cold only, and at the worst, admits he was threatened with pneumonia. Physicians say he is suffering from blood poisoning, which was brought on by vaccination. He 240d10

has had a high fever all afternoon, but gave out a statement tonight that he was feeling much better, and that there was nothing serious the matter with him.

The Senator won a case involving \$79,000 in court but he was not present when the verdict was read. In his address to the jury, the Senator said:

"Gentlemen, I am not well. I can not talk to you as I ought to or as I would like to. I ought to be in bed now, and I intend, as soon as I finish my talk to go to bed." With this introduction he spoke very briefly, and was assisted to a carriage and driven to his hotel, leaving his case to his partner, U. L. Meade, of Russellville, Ark., his home town.

RUTHERFORD MESSENGER.

Muskogee Man to Carry Oklahoma's Bryan Vote.

Guthrie, Okla., Jan. 12.—Morton Rutherford of Muskogee, former United States marshal and one of the candidates against Robt. L. Owen for the democratic nomination for United States senator two years ago, was today elected as the first Oklahoma messenger to carry Oklahoma's electoral vote to Washington. The electors met here at noon today in accordance with the requirements of the constitution.

The electors, besides Rutherford, are George C. White hourst, Sayre; George L. Bowman, Kingfisher; I. W. Drennan, Thomas; D. A. McDougal, Sapulpa; Preston A. Lester, McAlester, and J. E. Bibbons, Purcell.

Rutherford, who headed the list of democratic electors on the ballot, received the highest number of votes, 122,353, some of the others falling 600 behind him. The republican electors received 109,942 to 110,474, the populists 407 and the independence league 245.

Notice of Hearing Petition for Appointment of Administrator.

State of Oklahoma, Pontotoc County. In County Court.

In the matter of the estate of J. Arthur Seabolt, deceased.

To the Heirs, Next of Kin, and Creditors of J. Arthur Seabolt, deceased.

You are hereby notified that Deanie Day Seabolt has applied to the County Court of Pontotoc County, State of Oklahoma, for letters of administration on the estate of J. Arthur Seabolt, deceased, to be granted to her, Deanie Day Seabolt, and that said application will be heard in the Court room of said County, on the 11 day of January, 1909, at 1 o'clock p. m., at which time and place any person interested may appear and show cause if any they have why such petition should not be granted.

Witness my hand and the Seal of said Court hereunto affixed this 2nd day of Jan., 1909.

JOEL TERRELL, County Judge.

100 KILLED IN A MINE

Roanoke, Va., Jan. 12.—Officers of the Norfolk and Western Railroad said to night it was believed at least one hundred miners had been killed in the Lick Branch mine explosion today. The explosion was of much greater force than the one that occurred two weeks ago, when several score of lives were lost.

Today heavy timbers were thrown out of the mouth of the mine and several hundred feet into the air. One hundred coffins have been shipped from Columbus, Ohio, on a train to night to the scene of the accident.

Only Three Escaped.

Of the men under ground at the time of the explosion it is said that only three succeeded in making their escape, and these were the foreman, the brakeman and Bank Boss Bowers. The last named was able to get out of the death trap by crawling. Intense excitement reigns about the mine, and everything possible is being done to carry assistance to the entombed men. The cause of the accident has not yet been determined.

The West Virginia State Mine Inspector, Phillips, is on the ground leading the rescue work.

ATTORNEY GENERAL FILES SUIT.

Thinks Standard Oil and Others Restrained Trade.

Guthrie, Okla. 12.—Suit was filed tonight by Attorney General West in the name of the state against the Standard Oil, the National Transit and the Prairie Oil and Gas Companies, asking that subpoenas be issued for their officers to appear before the court and testify. The petition alleges that within the last three years the defendants have formed a conspiracy in restraint of trade within Oklahoma. It is also charged that the Standard Oil Company owns the Prairie Oil and Gas Company, which he declares is operating in violation of law by acting as a common carrier and at the same time purchasing oil.

Attorney General West announced that the suit is filed independent of any request from the governor.

ONE WEAK SPOT.

Most Ada People Have a Weak Part and Too Often It Is The Back.

Everyone has a weak spot. Too often it is the back. Twinges follow every sudden twist. Dull aching keeps up, day and night.

Tell you the kidneys need help—For backache is really kidneyache. A kidney cure is what you need. Doan's Kidney Pills cure sick kidneys.

Cure backache and urinary ills. Ada people recommend the remedy. E. L. Canterbury, Sixteenth St.

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If used according to directions for a reasonable length of time, we are absolutely positive that it will thoroughly cleanse the scalp and hair, relieve irritation, eradicate dandruff, stimulate the hair follicles and papilla, revitalize and nourish the hair roots, stop falling hair, prevent baldness, promote hair growth and make the hair naturally soft and silky.

You must realize that we would not dare back up our claims with such a liberal offer unless we were positive that we can substantiate our statements in every particular, and the most skeptical person should at least be willing to try Rexall "93" Hair Tonic at our risk.

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Ada, Okla., says: "I can recommend Doan's Kidney Pills very highly as they cured me of a distressing case of kidney complaint. My back was so weak at times that I was unable to work, in fact, found it very difficult to walk. Dull, nagging pains through my loins also caused me great misery and I had sharp twinges when I attempted to stoop or to lift. The kidney secretions were much too frequent in passage and caused me additional annoyance. Doan's Kidney Pills procured at G. M. Ramsey's Drug Store rid me of the trouble and I have had no return of it since."

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Legal Blanks for Sale!

The News has on hand a very large supply of Legal Blanks. All blanks used in our District, County and Justice of the Peace Courts, Deeds, Mortgages, Applications for Removal of Restrictions, etc.

Following we give a partial list of blanks on hand with prices quoted:

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Application for Removal of Restrictions, doz., 25c	

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Life Is a Blank When
Sight Is Gone

**TOO LATE TO GRIEVE
THEN!**

Now is the time for action.
Now is when you can come to us
for a

FREE

EXAMINATION

and get our advice and informa-
tion about your eye sight.

**THERE IS DANGER
IN DELAYS**

**SPRAGUE
BROS.**

Ada, Oklahoma

Tuesday evening, County Judge
Joel Terrell performed the marriage
ceremony in his office, which united
T. J. Odom, aged 22, and Miss Ethel
Hughes, 18, of Abilene.

OKLAHOMA'S LEGISLATURE

Senator Roddie Introduces Bill for State Normal at Ada--Other Proceedings.

More bills were introduced in the
senate asking locations of public in-
stitutions. Senator Taylor began with
a bill to locate the Girls' Industrial
School at Chickasha, but carried no
appropriation for buildings. Senator
Allen followed with a proposal to
put the Southeastern State Normal at
Ardmore, carrying \$150,000, appropri-
ation. Senator Smith, to place the
same institution at Duncan at a cost
of \$100,000, and Senator Roddie of-
fered his bill locating the school
at Ada with \$100,000 appropriated.

Gambling Bill Drastic.

Senator Smith's bill to make
gambling punishable by a peniten-
tary sentence, is creating much com-
ment, and a lively tilt among law-
makers is likely to result.
The Smith bill is drastic in its pro-
visions. It would impose a peniten-
tary sentence upon the man who
conducts a game, also upon the land-
lord who rents a building for gam-
bling purposes, and for the man who
merely plays. Senator Smith would
hand out a heavy fine and a jail sen-
tence.

Job for Murray.

A bill by Harrison provides the
completion of the records of the

constitutional convention, appropri-
ating \$3500 for the work and nam-
ing ex-Speaker Murray as chairman
of the commission at \$7 per day,
with one other member, to be named
by the governor.

Good Roads Measure.

Representative Putnam of Okla-
homa City today proposed a bill
which probably will form the nucleus
of good roads legislation, one of the
most important matters to come be-
fore the legislature.

It provides for the appointment of a
state commissioner at an annual
salary of \$3600 to serve four years.
The state, county, township and abut-
ting property owners are to stand
the expense equally pro rated for
the improvements.

For the purpose of carrying out
the state's part of the measure an
appropriation of \$1,000,000 is pro-
vided.
The roads are to be not less than
eight nor more than 16 feet wide.
The bill contemplates on uniform
system.

One of the most aggressive or-
ganizations to open headquarters in
Guthrie is the township trustees' as-
sociation. President D. T. Witt, of
Vinita, is here with resolutions adopt-
ed at a meeting of township officers
at Oklahoma City last November. The
recommendations he is pushing ask
for a law assessing a two-dollar poll
tax for all able-bodied men under
fifty years of age; for the cutting of
weeds, grass and brush from high-
ways twice each year; placing a
salary of road overseers at \$3 per
day; the employment of all prison-
ers on roads when sentenced to more
than ten days in jail; for two roads
crossing the counties near the coun-
ty seats; the assessment of dogs for
good roads revenues.

House Committees.

The personnel of the standing
house committees as appointed by
Speaker Wilson, is as follows:

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ex-officio chairman; J. A. Tillotson,
vice chairman; L. P. Ross, J. R. Mc-
Calla, J. H. Maxey, Ed L. Dunn, C.
G. Jones.

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M. B. Cope, Robert Wallace, J. A.
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S. C. Burnett, C. A. Cook.

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Lon Lovelace, John B. Whayne, Frank
Huddleston, Richard C. Brownlee.

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Smith, C. G. Jones.

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Peter J. Coyne, Joe Smith, Prentiss
Price, Robert Wallace, Harvey Utter-
back.

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Savage, Peter J. Coyne, S. W. Mur-
phy.

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M. Moore, J. J. Rottenberry, J. S.
Bell, D. C. Hughes, J. W. McDuffee,
C. C. Mathis, Joseph L. Paschal.

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ey, chairman; Lee R. Smith, L. P.
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ton, Joe Sherman.

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liff, J. W. Smith, J. J. Savage, George
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ham, Lon Lovelace, John Bridges,
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Haymes, N. J. Johnson, S. W. Hut-
chins, A. L. Edgington, Eugene War-
rours.

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man; Prentiss Price, C. S. Wortman,
E. N. Ratliff, George L. Wilson, Ben
T. Williams, Clint Moore, Edward
Merrick, J. A. Simmons.

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lace, Ben F. Harrison, F. L. Haymes,
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ham, C. G. Jones, Edward Merrick.

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Faulkner, E. L. Haymes, J. S. Shear-
er, Henry L. Vogle.

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son, J. W. McDuffee, W. S. Carson,
James Knox, John Bonar.

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S. Shearer, Eugene Watrous.

Dentistry—H. M. McElhane, chair-
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M. McDuffee, Charles M. Compton.

Constitutional Amendments—Ben F.
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J. A. Tillotson, J. E. Terrill, E. N.
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George W. Lewis, H. R. King, John
M. Moore, J. M. Ratliff, J. S. Bell,
T. L. Rider, M. Turner, A. A. Stull,
C. C. Mathis, J. F. Tucker, S. W.
Murphy, H. L. Vogle.

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Tribes and other Oklahoma Indian
Tribes**—Peter J. Coyne, chairman;
W. A. Durant, T. L. Rider, George
W. Lewis, A. H. Japp, C. C. Mathis,
John M. Moore, Henry Ireton, C. M.
Compton, J. J. Sullivan, J. B. Charles.

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dleston, H. R. King, C. M. Anderson,
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cobs, John Bonar, Eugene Watrous.

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ner, H. M. McElhane, George E.
Jabu, W. B. Anthony, N. J. Johnson,
A. H. Japp, W. B. Anthony, N. J.
Johnson, A. H. Japp, C. G. Jones, C.
A. Cook.

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S. Bell, chairman; J. J. Rottenberry,
W. F. Semple, E. A. Ewell, George
W. Lewis, H. R. King, C. M. Ander-
son, A. H. Japp, J. P. Calhoun.

DEATH UNDER WHEELS.

**Boy Killed as He Tries to Follow
His Father.**

Arapaho, Ok., Jan. 12.—Trying to
imitate his father, who jumped from a
moving wagon, Floyd Victory was
caught under the wheels of the ve-
hicle, loaded with brick, and crushed
to death. He lived a few minutes
after he was extricated from under
the wagon.

The negro republic of Liberia has
twenty-two species of rubber trees.

SAFE BLOWERS

There are professional safe blow-
ers in Ada, or have been.

Last night between 12 and 1 o'clock
the safe at the Katy depot was blown
open with nitroglycerine.

It is not known how much money
was secured, but only a small
amount could have been gotten, as
the vault was not entered.

The work was done by profession-
als, as they soaked the crevice be-
tween door facing and the door au-
poured only a sufficient of nitro-
glycerine to blow off the door, which
was found shattered and a few feet
away.

And as further proof that the safe
blowers knew the amount of nitro-
glycerine to use, is the fact that a
small bottle was found in the office
this morning about half filled with
the explosive.

Several dollars in silver were found
on the floor, and it is not believed
that to exceed nine or ten dollars
was outside the vault.

Agent Greep of the Katy, left a
few days ago for Kansas City, to
attend a law suit, and he locked the
safe before leaving, and as he is the
only one in the office knowing the
combination, neither the amount that
was outside the vault, nor the sum
inside, is known.

Agent George Twist, of Konawa, is
temporarily acting as agent here for
the Katy, and the day's receipts are
each night taken from the depot and
deposited.

Several persons near the depot
heard the explosion, and it is sup-
posed the robbers were frightened
away by the loudness of the report
made, as well as the close prox-
imity of people. At all events, they
did not attempt to get into the vault,
which they could have done shortly
with their evident experience. The
safe is not an improved one, so was
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MIRACULOUSLY SAVES TRAIN.

Farmer Suddenly Awakes and Sees
Bridge Burning.

Muskogee, Okla., Jan. 12.—Startled,
arising from his bed for some un-
known reason, Robert Tanner, a far-
mer, last night went to the window
of his room, and, looking out, saw
the big Midland Valley bridge near
San Bois, Okla., burning. He heard
the shrill whistle of the locomotive
as the night oil train rounded the
curve. He knew that there was no
time to be lost, and rushing out in
the cold, clothed in nothing but his
night robe, flagged the train, which
came to a standstill within thirty
feet of the bridge. If the warning
had not been given the train would
have fallen into a thirty-foot gorge
and the entire train of thirty oil
cars burned. A wrecking crew re-
paired the bridge in fourteen hours.

Sixty years ago the use of flint
and steel to produce a fire was not
wholly unknown.

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OUTLOOK PROMISING.

The outlook for Ada securing the State Normal could not be more promising. Chief Clerk of the house of Representatives, the Hon. W. H. Eby.

There is no question but that the foundation has been satisfactorily laid and that Ada's interests are at present being capably and effectively looked after.

But the citizens of Ada and Pontotoc county, all of whom are substantially, if not vitally interested in the achievement of the success in the State Normal proposal for this city, should not for a moment lose sight of the fact that numerous wealthy, vigorous cities, throughout one-half of this great and large state are endeavoring in every manner, allowed by law, to secure the State Normal prize. Ada recognized as the one formidable contestant and her fortifications are being charged from all sides.

While Ada stands geographically in the center of the population of southeast Oklahoma, with six outlets of railway, well divided egress through the rich mineral and agricultural sections of all east and south Oklahoma, and more, while Ada offers all the modern conveniences of any city and all the natural advantages which could be encompassed within one locality, such as high altitude, pure and abundant water, the finest building material, in short, possessing a topography which would be coveted anywhere, there are some other—more often than not—essentials, which must not be overlooked.

Every day at Guthrie, governorships, United States senatorships and what not, are being traded by other

towns for the Ada State Normal. Ada's material along this line is to valuable to trade, but there is required money with which to conduct the necessary and legitimate expenses of the Normal campaign.

And the legitimate expenses of the campaign will reach several hundred dollars. The display of Ada's varied and attractive resources and the distribution of suitable literature must receive daily, proper attention. A letter just received from Guthrie states that though the situation appears favorable indeed, help may be required at any time.

The committee consisting of E. H. Lucas, W. L. Reed, J. W. Hays, Tom Hope, W. H. Eby, W. C. Duncan and Otis Weaver has borne the expense of the campaign so far.

This committee will be enlarged by President Lucas this afternoon, when a 5 o'clock meeting will be held at the club rooms.

It is your interest as well as others Wade in.

Arthur Capper, owner and publisher of the Topeka Capital and a number of other publications, is one publisher who is proving his belief in advertising by the use of printers' ink. He is doing by far the best advertising that is being done by any publication in the country at the present time.—Denison Herald.

Any newspaper publisher or printer should advertise the same as any other business. Those who cannot afford to use other than their own means of publicity should not fail to utilize that to the fullest extent. In this advanced age, no kind of business can prosper without advertising, and the newspapers are the best medium yet found through which to successfully reach the public.

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PONTOTOC'S REPRESENTATIVES.

In the make-up of the committees of the lower house of the Oklahoma legislature, Pontotoc county's representatives fared well and their constituency appreciate the honor shown them of which they are most worthy. L. S. Rathiff is on the committees of legal and advisory, public buildings and state institutions, charity and corrections.

Frank Huddleston is chairman of the committee on pharmacy, and member of general appropriations, protection of birds and games committee.

President Roosevelt is said to have placed Senator Tillman under police surveillance. The old lion of the Palmetto state has his faults but he is as brave as lion. Wonder if the president ordered secret service men to dog the footsteps of Nelson W. Aldrich, the boss of the senate and the champion of Rockefeller and Rogers? If not, why not?—Ardmoreite.

Why not? Simply because Nelson W. Aldrich the boss of the senate and the champion of Rockefeller and Rogers, is also indirectly the boss of the republican party, through the Standard billions. President Roosevelt is not looking for that size game even if he is willing to try the wilds of Africa.

People have time to read now and the business man who acquaints them with his goods and bargains during this lull will receive the benefit when the rush again starts

Now comes the "slush" after the "beautiful" snow

PRESS COMMENT.

Possibly the president is endeavoring to get himself into good trim for meeting the wild animals of Africa.—Denison Herald.

Judge Landis refuses to sit again in the Standard Oil case. Who can blame him, with Federal Judge Peter J. Groscup on the upper bench?—Ardmoreite

The Oklahoma officer who resigned because Gov. Haskell censured him appears to be rather thin-skinned for that climate. He ought to come South.—Dallas News.

A Cincinnati mail order house says it has a brand of whiskey that is suitable for both sexes. The name of the brand is not mentioned, but we suspect it is "Old Bust Developer" or something like that.—Houston Post.

Kate Barnard's threat to carry the Kansas penitentiary investigation to the gates of heaven is far-fetched. Does she expect her witnesses to be at the pearly gates at the time the investigation starts?—Muskogee Times-Democrat.

Citizens of Ada who have friends or relatives visiting them, or when they go elsewhere on a visit, will confer a favor on the News by calling up No. 4 and phoning the information.

Italy during the next sixteen years will spend \$107,000,000 to construct 982 miles of new railroads as well as to improve existing roads.

TILLMAN TO SPEAK AGAIN

Washington, Jan. 12.—Notwithstanding the demand made in his speech, there will not be, as was intimated in dispatches last night, any investigation of Senator Tillman's relations with those Oregon promoters who are trying to wrest from one of Mr. Harriman's railroads some of the land which had been granted to it by the government. The essential facts have been so clearly disclosed as to make an investigation superfluous, in the opinion of the men who rule the senate. It is regarded as probable, however, that the appropriation committee will feel it incumbent to make some observations on this Tillman matter during the course of its reports on the use of the secret service. These observations, it is already intimated, will be more satisfactory to Senator Tillman than to President Roosevelt.

Question of Ethics.
The more matured opinion in the senate, and indeed among congressmen generally, is more indulgent to Senator Tillman than was the first verdict. Altruistically, as a proposition of ethics, no one attempts to justify

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ty Senator Tillman's course. It is generally agreed that in attempting to bring about a condition which would inure to his personal profit Senator Tillman did not practice his own preachments, but it is not generally believed that in seeking to have the land grant voided Senator Tillman was actuated by the hope of personal profit, but rather by the belief that the terms of the grant had been violated. His offense was in first having made himself a preferential beneficiary.

Animosity Toward President.
But undoubtedly this more indulgent disposition toward Senator Tillman is due to the growing animosity which nearly all members of congress feel toward the president. It is well-nigh the unanimous opinion that the president sought to exaggerate Senator Tillman's offense and that in doing so he was moved both by personal hatred of Senator Tillman as well as by a desire still further to injure the reputation of the senate. The bitterness of feeling toward the president intensifies rather than

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abates. It is now manifestly the purpose both of the senate and of the house not only to take up the gage of battle which he has thrown to them, but to fight him aggressively. To this end, while the house is gathering evidence to show that he has created a secret police far greater than anyone has imagined, the senate, in the same unamiable spirit, is going to try to prove that he has been a reckless spender of government money, devoting some funds not only to purposes which were clearly intended, but in ways that were clearly violative of law.

Tillman to Speak Again.
Meanwhile Senator Tillman is gathering data for another speech. The purpose of this speech is to show that however blunt may be his own sense of propriety, it is at least as acute as that of the president. To accomplish his purpose he is said to be making researches to a time as far back as when President Roosevelt was a civil service commissioner. It is perhaps unnecessary to say that in this enterprise Senator Tillman is receiving plenty of encouragement on both sides of the chamber. All these things are timed to happen during the closing days—during closing hours, one might say, of President Roosevelt's administration, so that, as far as congress may accomplish it, his exit from the White House will be in a blaze of anything else than glory.

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by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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Westbound.
No. 609 due 9:40 a. m.
No. 507 due 9:00 p. m.

M. K. & T.

Southbound.
No. 411 due 11:10 a. m.
Northbound.
No. 112 due 4:05 p. m.

OKLAHOMA CENTRAL.

Westbound.
No. 3 due 10:32 a. m.
Eastbound.
No. 2 due 4:07 p. m.

W. M. McWhirt of Roff transacted business in Ada today.

All kinds of feed at M. Walsh's. 247d3t

C. W. Moran was over from Roff this morning.

Hot nerver at Ramsey's. 240tt

W. M. Bowman of Roff was in Ada today.

A. W. Cape of Pittsburgh was a business visitor in Ada today.

Hot chocolate at Ramsey's. 240tt

Mrs. N. B. Shands of Wewoka is visiting her mother, Mrs. Stevenson.

Miss Ruth Sowers has returned from a visit in Denison, Tex.

W. A. Alexander made a business trip to Francis today.

Mr. Kerens, who has been transacting business in Ada for several weeks returned to Pauls Valley this morning.

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J. B. GAY, Prop.

Legal blanks for sale at this office.

C. Nash returned this morning from Waxahachie and Dallas, Tex., where he attended the burial of his brother-in-law, F. L. Clinton. Mrs. Nash remained with Mrs. Clinton, who is in a state of nervous prostration.

Jno. P. Hall, of Muskogee, representing the Union Central Life and Trust Company of that city, with a capitalization of a half million dollars, is in Ada on business. He is a genial gentleman and experienced politician, having been one of Gov. Haskell's managers at Muskogee.

Jos. Sloan of Center was in Ada yesterday evening.

FOR RENT—A furnished room with heat and large closet. Phone 69. 249d1t

Notice.

During my absence in Chicago for surgical study in hospitals, my partner, Dr. Faust, will attend to my practice. I will be gone about one month.
DR. H. BROWALL.

CHAPMAN

The Shoe Man

East Main Street, Ada, Okla.

W. E. Tigner, of Conway, is in Ada today.

J. T. Tigner, of Conway, is in Ada today.

W. McWhirt, the oil mill man of Roff, is in the city on business today.

County Treasurer Henry J. Bond of Atoka, a full-blood Choctaw, is in Ada today, on business.

Mrs. J. O. Dowell, of Fate, Texas, and L. M. Perry, of Garland, Texas, attended the funeral today of their brother, Robert McCain, which was conducted by Rev. W. M. Wilson, and the remains interred in Rosedale cemetery.

Berry Jones of Oakman, was in town today after medicine for his brother, Hiram Jones, who is afflicted with rheumatism, living 15 miles northeast of Ada, and also reports that Lee Hodge of Oakman, his brother-in-law is very low with consumption.

More Land Assessed.

County Clerk Kerr says that about \$10,000 worth of land has been added for taxation since the report of the assessors, and nearly all of this has been voluntarily made, where it was overlooked.

Among those reporting \$2,000 worth of the land is County Treasurer Bond, of Atoka.

Hose and Reel Arrived.

The one thousand feet of fire hose and hand reel have arrived, so the Ada fire department is now better prepared to contend with any conflagrations.

It is contemplated to put one hand reel in North Ada and the other in south or east residence section, each reel with about 800 feet of hose, while the wagon and team will cover the business district.

Then Held Prayer Meeting.

Woodward, Okla., Jan. 12.—The breaking of a big dam on the George Ray ranch, southwest of Woodward, flooded the lower country and greatly endangered the lives of numerous farmers and their families, as the force of the water carried everything before it. Following the announcement that no lives were lost, Mr. Roy called a prayer meeting of all neighbors at his residence last night, and a thanksgiving service was continued until past midnight.

One of the pleasantest tokens of coming days lies in the appearance of the new drama by Hal Reid called, "The Cow-Puncher" which opens a one night engagement at the Ada Opera House on Thursday night, Jan. 11th. It has already established itself into high favor in the East, after dreary monotonous string of lurid plays the indulgent public has been subjected to in the past seasons, this simple but interesting play of life on the plains of Arizona comes to us like a cooling draught of water fresh from the well of nature. Its chief charm is its plain and wholesome sentiment. Not that it is an ordinary drama, it is too honest and grave for that, there are no affectations or appeals for maudlin sentiment. It appeals to the heart, and at times flashes of bright comedy creep forth that seem to fit in, and lend color and atmosphere to the story. An excellent cast has been provided. W. F. Mann, the producer has spent a small fortune on the two carloads of scenery, electrical effects and properties necessary for its production, and we are expecting the "Cow-Puncher" to prove one of the pleasantest dramatic events of the season. At the Ada opera house, Thursday, night, Jan. 14.

Profitable to the County.

Register of Deeds Hargis is one profitable officeholder that Pontotoc county has, as the fees in excess of salary up to date, amount to \$422.00. The office of register of deeds is kept in a most excellent manner and in a way to expedite the work.

OKLAHOMA STATE BANK.

The stockholders of the Oklahoma State Bank held a meeting yesterday evening and elected the following directors:

J. W. Hays, W. H. Ebey, W. D. Hays, C. W. Floyd, B. H. Epperson, R. W. Simpson, Jno. P. Crawford, F. S. Houtt and L. E. Patterson.

The directors then elected the following officers:

J. W. Hays, president; W. H. Ebey, vice president; W. D. Hays, cashier; L. A. Ellison, assistant cashier.

A satisfactory business was reported by the officers of the Oklahoma State bank with which the stockholders were much pleased.

A strong board of directors has been selected for the Oklahoma State bank, and together with the former officers who are experienced and popular, that solid financial institution will be as successful in the future as it has in the past.

FOUND—Any one losing a small sum of money on Main street, enquire at News office and receive information and pay for this notice. 248dtt

The Pension Roll.

During the entire year ending June 30, 1905, the total number of pensioners on the roll was 1,006,063. At the close of the year there were on the roll 951,637 pensioners—658,071 soldiers and sailors, 293,106 widows and orphans, and 610 army nurses. The gains to the roll during the year were 37,607 new pensioners and 1,073 restorations and renewals, a total of 38,682. Of this number, 339 were pensioned by special acts of congress. The losses to the roll during the same time were 50,676 by death and 3,690 from other causes, a total of 54,366. The net loss for the year, therefore, was 15,684.

The number of deaths of soldiers and sailor pensioners of the civil war for the year was 34,332.

THE KATY FLYER IS WRECKED

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 12.—Twenty-two persons were injured, four of them seriously, this afternoon when the Katy Flyer from Texas went into the ditch at Hamburg, Mo., while rounding a curve at thirty-five miles an hour. The 200 passengers on the train were thrown headlong in every direction when the nine coaches left the track and the majority of those inside the coaches escaped by climbing out of windows. The injured were lifted out the same way and for nearly two hours they stood about in the immense snowdrifts along the track waiting for a relief train.

Due into St. Louis at 8 a. m. the train was eight hours late at Hamburg, a hamlet of less than 200 people. Two engines were battling their way through the drifts, the Flyer being the first train through today. While plunging around the curve where the wreck occurred, the front trucks on the first car, a chair car, gave way, and every coach followed it from the tracks.

Order for Hearing Petition to Sell Real Estate by Guardian.

State of Oklahoma, Pontotoc County, ss. In County Court.

In the matter of the guardianship of Caroline Illetwahke, Malina Illetwahke and Peggy Illetwahke.

Now, on this 7th day of Jan. 1909, comes Charles Illetwahke as guardian of the estate of the above named wards having filed herein his petition for the sale of the real estate of said wards for the reasons in said petition stated.

IT IS ORDERED, That said petition be and hereby is set for hearing on the 8th day of February, A. D. 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m., at which time the next of kin and all persons interested in the estate of said wards are required to appear and show cause, if any they have, why an order should not be granted for the sale of so much of the real estate of said wards as is necessary for the reasons in said petition stated, or that personal service hereof be made upon said next of kin and persons interested in the estate of said wards as required by law. It is further ordered that a copy of this order be published for 10 successive days in the Ada Daily News of Ada, Okla.

JOEL TERRELL,

County Judge.

Dated this 7th day of Jan. 1909. 244d10t

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General Abstract, Loan and Real Estate business. Fire and Tornado Insurance. Southern Surety Company of Oklahoma. Office in rear of First National bank.

COALGATE MINERS ON STRIKE

Coalgate, Okla., Jan. 12.—With pick and shovel, one thousand miners employed in the Coalgate coal mines, walked out on strike today prepared to refuse to work until the operators agree to observe the state law providing that only sufficient blasting powder for one day's use be carried into the mine.

The walkout followed a dispute with the operators. The miners demanded that the officials not permit more than enough powder for 24 hours' use to be taken into the pits. This the coal barons refused to sanction and the tie-up resulted. The men claim that the companies are violating the state mining law in this respect.

Should the cold weather which now prevails, last longer than a week it is probable that the strike will have a telling effect. The men are firm in the determination not to give in and, on the other hand, the mine officials are equally positive that the strike will be broken.

An effort looking toward arbitration of the differences between the two factions will probably be made if strike is not settled within a reasonable time.

Tall Lifting.

Many remarkable but yet properly vouched for feats of skill are recorded of professional golfers. Thus on one occasion when in his prime the late Tom Morris, Sr., undertook to demonstrate his ability in lifting a ball. For this purpose he stood in a quarry underneath the familiar Bullock bridge and sent a number of "gutties" in succession up to the footpath at the top, a height of nearly 150 yards. Probably without knowing it in doing so he was emulating an earlier performance of an Edinburgh player who once drove half a dozen balls over the spire of St. Giles' cathedral from the level of the street.

Given the Mitten.

One cold day a lovesick young man, who had for some time harassed a young lady with his attentions, was hurrying along the street behind this very young lady when he perceived, with delight, something drop from her muff to the sidewalk.

Picking it up, the gallant young man rushed ahead and, accosting her, smilingly held out her recovered property.

Without deigning to accept it, she eyed him coldly a moment, then said: "You may keep it, it's my mitten."

Bad Scoring.

"Yes, he's one of the worst marks men I ever met."
"Never misses up the target, eh?"
"I should say not. Why, when he goes to vote he can't even get the cross in the circle."

A Mexican Dish.

Into a baking dish put a layer of macaroni (after it has been thoroughly cooked in salted water), then a few spoonfuls of gravy from roast beef; cover with tomato catsup, then another layer of macaroni, gravy and catsup on top. Set in the oven to brown.

Church Directory

First Baptist Church.

No pastor at present. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Sunday School 9:45 a. m., W. U. Duncan, superintendent. B. Y. P. U. Sunday afternoon at 6:30.

Christian Church

Services Sunday morning at 11 and Sunday evening at 7:30. Rev. C. E. Smoot, pastor.
Sunday School at 10 a. m., L. T. Walters, superintendent
Ladies Aid meets first and third Wednesdays and C. W. B. M. first Thursday in each month. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30.

First Presbyterian Church.

Services every Sunday morning at 11 and evening at 7:30. Rev. W. T. Ahrenbeck, pastor.
Sunday School at 9:45 a. m., J. T. Higgins, superintendent. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30. Ladies Aid Society meets every other Wednesday.

Presbyterian Church.

Services Sunday morning at 11 and Sunday evening at 7:30. Rev. J. D. White, pastor.
Sunday School at 9:45, Orville Sneed, superintendent. Junior Endeavor society meets every Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Ladies Aid Society meets every Monday afternoon at 2:30.

North Ada Baptist Church.

Services every Sunday morning at 11 and Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. Rev. D. J. Austin, pastor.
Sunday School every Sunday morning at 9:45, A. N. Harrison, super-

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CIVILIZED MAN ALONE SNORES.

Unpleasant Habit Absolutely Unknown Among Savages.

It is a truism that a one ever heard of a snoring savage. In fact if the wild man of the woods and plains does not sleep quietly he runs the risk of being discovered by his enemy and the scalp of the snorer would soon adorn the belt of his crafty and more quietly sleeping adversary. With civilization however we have changed all this details a writer in Health. The impure air of our sleeping rooms induces all manner of catarrhal affections. The nasal passages are the first to become affected. Instead of warming the inspired air on the way to the lungs and removing from it the dangerous impurities with which it is loaded the nose becomes obstructed. A part of the air enters and escapes by the mouth. The veil of the palate vibrates between the two currents—that through the mouth and the one still passing through the partially closed nostrils—like a torn sail in the wind. The snore then means that the sleeper's mouth is partially open that his nose is partially closed and that his lungs are in danger from the air not being properly warmed and purified. From the continued operation of these causes—the increase of impure air in sleeping rooms and permitting habitual snorers to escape killing and scalping—some scientist has predicted that in the future all men (and all women too) will snore. It goes along with decay of the teeth and baldness.

FEW WORDS, BUT TO THE POINT

Elder Evidently Meant There Should Be No Misunderstanding

Last summer the congregation of a little kirk in the Highlands of Scotland was greatly disturbed and mystified by the appearance in its midst of an English lady who made use of an ear trumpet during the sermon—such an instrument being entirely unknown in those simple parts.

There was much discussion of the matter and it was finally decided that one of the elders—who had great local reputation as a man of parts—should be deputed to settle the question.

On the next Sabbath the unconscionable offender again made her appearance and again produced the trumpet, whereupon the chosen elder rose from his seat and marched down the aisle to where the old lady sat and entreating her with an upraised finger said sternly:

"The first foot—were out!"—Harper's

A Good Inheritance

No boy or girl can ever come to be utterly bad who remembers only love and tenderness and unselfishness and sweetness as associated with father and mother in the old time home. Give them manly and womanly examples give them training give them the inspiration of devoted lives give them these higher deeper things. Do not care so much as to whether you are accumulating money so that you can leave them a fortune. I really believe that the chances are against that being a blessing for a boy. But leave them an accumulated fortune of memories and inspirations and examples and hopes so that they are rich in brain and heart as well as in money. Then if you happen to leave them a fortune besides if they have all these the fortune will be shown of its possibilities of evil and will become an instrument of the higher and nobler good.—Minot J. Savage

Was He Delirious?

"Almost every man says a Baltimore specialist learns sooner or later to think of his doctor as one of his best friends but this fact does not hinder the world from laughing at the profession.

How is our patient this morning?" asked a physician a fellow graduate of mine of a patient's brother.

Oh he's much worse came from the other in a tone of dejection. He's been delirious for several hours. At three o'clock he said: "What an old woman that doctor of mine is!" and he hasn't made a rational remark since.—Lippincott's

Pistols for Two

Mr Burr to Mr Hamilton. You must perceive sir the necessity of a prompt and unqualified acknowledgment or denial of the use of any expression which would warrant the assertions of Dr Cooper.

Mr Hamilton to Mr Burr. Your first letter in a style too peremptory made a demand in my opinion unprecedented and unwarrantable but by your last letter containing expressions indecorous and improper you have increased the difficulties of explanation intrinsically incident to the nature of your application.

To Be Original Be Honest and Sincere

To be original we must be natural that is enough and if we are honest and sincere we shall be original begin each day with a mind as open as a child's negatively alive to the new world and the new year that begins with every dawn reverence our impulses respect them as we would the tenderest shoots from our choicest bulbs. Theory knowledge precedents kill impulse even as certainly as life murders youth.—Gutson Borglum in Craftsman

Flattering.

Crusty Old Croesus—You do not appreciate in the least what I did for you when I made you my wife. Gay Young Wife But I will when I'm your widow.



"God Give me this little gal to care for, and I'm going to care right for her. Scene from 'The Cow Puncher.' At Ada Opera House, January 14, 1909

FROM FEES TO SALARY BASIS

Guthrie Okla Jan 12.—Senator Graham's bill to change the office of clerk of the supreme court from a fee to a salary compensation will it is understood meet the approval of the two upper courts with which the clerk is in constant contact. The office is elective by the people where as in many states elective by the judges and here it is placed on the same basis as the governor or any other state officer except as to compensation. Under the proposed change all the fees coming to the clerk's office are placed in the general state revenue fund and out of the public funds the clerk one deputy and four stenographers are to draw salaries. The clerk's pay will be about \$500 per annum. As it is the clerk receives all the fees and pays the help retaining what is left for himself.

Comparison to the Graham bill is ore by Senator Franklin establishing a new schedule of fees for the office it bears an average of the schedules of Texas Arkansas and Alabama. It is some lower than that of Texas.

The supreme court clerk in Oklahoma is also clerk of the court of criminal appeals. Under the system here appeals may be taken from the seventy-five county courts to the supreme court of criminal appeals likewise from the twenty-one district courts and considering it on a unit basis the office is required to take care of appeals from 192 courts. The system of California and Texas were followed by the constitutional convention in drafting the judicial machinery for Oklahoma. In Texas it is shown there is a supreme court and a court of criminal appeals with intermediate tribunals in five judicial districts. Each court is served by a special clerk and stenographers who receive salaries and a percentage of the fees. The new state was required by the enabling act to assume a vast amount of litigation from both territories and since the land in the eastern portion of the state is becoming taxable and alienable it is pointed out that the volume of business from there is not begun.

SENATOR JEFF DAVIS ILL.

Wins Suit With a Fee of \$78,000. St. Louis Mo Jan 12.—United States Senator Jeff Davis of Arkansas is ill in a St. Louis hotel and his family has been summoned. The Senator was obliged to retire from a case in the United States circuit court.

The nature of his illness can not be definitely learned the Senator claiming he is suffering from a severe cold only and at the worst admits he was threatened with pneumonia. Physicians say he is suffering from blood poisoning, which was brought on by vaccination. He 240d10

has had a high fever all afternoon but got out a statement tonight that he was feeling much better and that there was nothing serious the matter with him.

The Senator won a case involving \$70,000 in court but he was not present when the verdict was read. In his address to the jury the Senator said:

Gentlemen I am not well I can not talk to you as I ought to or as I would like to I ought to be in bed now and I intend as soon as I finish my talk to go to bed. With this introduction he spoke very briefly and was assisted to a carriage and driven to his hotel leaving his case to his partner U. L. Meade of Russellville Ark. his home town.

RAUTHERFORD MESSENGER.

Muskogee Man to Carry Oklahoma's Bryan Vote.

Guthrie Okla Jan 12.—Morton Rutherford of Muskogee former United States marshal and one of the candidates against Robert Owen for the democratic nomination for United States senator two years ago was today elected as the first Oklahoma messenger to carry Oklahoma's electoral vote to Washington. The electors met here at noon today in accordance with the requirements of the constitution.

The electors besides Rutherford are George C. White, Horst Sayre, George L. Bowman, Kingfisher, I. W. Brennan, Thomas D. A. McDougal, Sapulpa, Preston A. Lester, McAlester and T. E. Bibbons, Purcell.

Rutherford who headed the list of democratic electors on the ballot received the highest number of votes 122,353 some of the others falling 600 behind him. The republican electors received 109,942 to 110,474 the populists 407 and the independence league 245.

Notice of Hearing Petition for Appointment of Administrator.

State of Oklahoma Pontotoc County In County Court.

In the matter of the estate of J. Arthur Seabolt deceased.

To the Heirs Next of Kin and Creditors of J. Arthur Seabolt deceased.

You are hereby notified that Deane Day Seabolt has applied to the County Court of Pontotoc County State of Oklahoma for letters of administration on the estate of J. Arthur Seabolt deceased to be granted to her Deane Day Seabolt and that said application will be heard in the Court room of said Court in the City of Ada in said County on the 11 day of January 1909 at 1 o'clock p. m. at which time and place any person interested may appear and show cause if any they have why such petition should not be granted.

Witness my hand and the Seal of said Court hereunto affixed this 2nd day of Jan 1909.

JOEL TERRELL, County Judge

100 KILLED IN A MINE

Rumoke Va Jan 12.—Officers of the Norfolk and Western Railroad said to night it was believed at least one hundred miners had been killed in the Lick Branch mine explosion today. The explosion was of much greater force than the one that occurred two weeks ago when several score of lives were lost.

Today heavy timbers were thrown out of the mouth of the mine and several hundred feet into the air. One hundred coffins have been shipped from Columbus Ohio on a train to night to the scene of the accident.

Only Three Escaped.

Of the men under ground at the time of the explosion it is said that only three succeeded in making their escape and these were the foreman the brakeman and Bank Boas Bowers. The last named was able to get out of the death trap by crawling intense excitement raged about the mine and everything possible is being done to carry assistance to the entombed men. The cause of the accident has not yet been determined.

The West Virginia State Mine Inspector Phillips is on the ground leading the rescue work.

ATTORNEY GENERAL FILES SUIT.

Thinks Standard Oil and Others Restrained Trade.

Guthrie Okla 12.—Suits were filed tonight by Attorney General West in the name of the state against the Standard Oil the National Transit and the Prairie Oil and Gas Companies asking that subpoenas be issued for their officers to appear before the court and testify. The petition alleges that within the last three years the defendants have formed a conspiracy in restraint of trade within Oklahoma. It is also charged that the Standard Oil Company owns the Prairie Oil and Gas Company which he declares is operating in violation of law by acting as a common carrier and at the same time purchasing oil.

Attorney General West announced that the suit is filed independent of any request from the governor.

ONE WEAK SPOT.

Most Ada People Have a Weak Part and Too Often It Is The Back.

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OTIS LOOK PROMISING.

The outlook for Ada securing the State Normal could not be more promising. Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives the Hon W H Eber

There is no question but that the foundation has been satisfactorily laid and that Ada's interests are at present being rapidly and effectively looked after

But the citizens of Ada and Pontotoc county all of whom are substantially if not vitally interested in the achievement of the success in the State Normal proposal for this city should not for a moment lose sight of the fact that numerous wealthy vigorous cities throughout one-half of this great and large state are endeavoring in every manner allowed by law to secure the State Normal prize. Ada recognized as the one formidable contestant and her fortifications are being charged from all sides.

While Ada stands geographically in the center of the population of southeast Oklahoma with six out of ten of the population of the state through the rich mineral and agricultural sections of all east and south Oklahoma and more while Ada offers all the modern conveniences of any city and all the natural advantages which could be encompassed within one locality such as high altitude pure and abundant water the finest building material in short possessing a topography which would be coveted anywhere there are some other more often than not essentials which must not be overlooked

Every day at Guthrie goes on ships United States senatorships and what not are being traded by other

towns for the Ada State Normal. Ada's material along this line is so valuable to trade but there is required money with which to conduct the necessary and legitimate expenses of the Normal campaign

And the legitimate expenses of the campaign will reach several hundred dollars. The display of Ada's varied and attractive resources and the distribution of so valuable literature must receive daily proper attention

A letter just received from Guthrie states that though the situation appears favorable indeed help may be required at any time

The committee consisting of E H Lucas W L Reed J W Hays Tom Hope W H Eber W C Duncan and Otis Weaver has borne the expense of the campaign so far

This committee will be enlarged by President Lucas this afternoon when a 5 o'clock meeting will be held at the club rooms

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PONTOTOC'S REPRESENTATIVES.

In the make up of the committees of the lower house of the Oklahoma legislature Pontotoc county's representatives fared well and their constituents appreciate the honor shown them of which they are most worthy

L S Ratliff is on the committees of legal and advisory public buildings and state institutions charity and corrections

Frank Huddleston is chairman of the committee on pharmacy and member of general appropriations protection of birds and games committee

President Roosevelt is said to have placed Senator Tillman under police surveillance. The old lion of the Palmetto state has his faults but he is as brave as lion. Wonder if the president ordered secret service men to dog the footsteps of Nelson W Aldrich the boss of the senate and the champion of Rockefeller and Rogers? If not why not?—Ardmoreite

Why not? Simply because Nelson W Aldrich the boss of the senate and the champion of Rockefeller and Rogers is also a direct the boss of the republican party through the Standard Oil's. President Roosevelt is not looking for that size game even if he is willing to try the wilds of Africa

People have time to read now and the business man who acquaints them with his goods and bargains. This full will receive the benefit when the rush again starts

Now comes the slush after the beautiful snow

PRESS COMMENT

Possibly the president is endeavoring to get himself into good trim for meeting the wild animals of Africa—Dunsmuir Herald

Judge Landis refuses to sit again in the Standard Oil case. Who can blame him with Federal Judge Peter J. Griesbach on the upper bench?—Ardmoreite

The Oklahoma officer who resigned because Gov. Haskell censured him appears to be rather thin skinned for that climate. He ought to come South—Dallas News

A Cincinnati mail order house says it has a brand of whiskey that is suitable for both sexes. The name of the brand is not mentioned but we suspect it is Old Bust Developer or something like that—Houston Post

Kate Bernards threat to carry the Kansas penitentiary investigation to the gates of heaven is far fetched. Does she expect her witnesses to be at the pearly gates at the time the investigation starts?—Muskogee Times-Democrat

Citizens of Ada who have friends or relatives visiting them or when they go elsewhere on a visit will confer a favor on the News by calling up No 4 and phoning the information

Italy during the next sixteen years will spend \$107,000,000 to construct 992 miles of new railroads as well as to improve existing roads

TILLMAN TO SPEAK AGAIN

Washington, Jan. 12.—Notwithstanding the bluntness made in his speech there will not be as was intimated in dispatches last night any investigation of Senator Tillman's relations with those Oregon promoters who are trying to wrest from one of Mr. Hariman's railroads some of the land which had been granted to it by the government. The essential facts have been so clearly disclosed as to make an investigation superfluous in the opinion of the men who rule the senate. It is regarded as probable however that the appropriation committee will feel it incumbent to make some observations on this Tillman matter during the course of its reports on the use of the secret service. These observations it is already intimated will be more satisfactory to Senator Tillman than to President Roosevelt

Question of Ethics.

The more muted opinion in the senate and indeed among congressmen is to do so more indulgent to Senator Tillman than was the first verdict. At least as a proposition of ethics in one respects to do so

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Senator Tillman's course. It is generally agreed that in attempting to bring about a condition which would insure to his personal profit Senator Tillman did not practice his own preachments but it is not generally believed that in seeking to have the land grant voided Senator Tillman was actuated by the hope of personal profit but rather by the belief that the terms of the grant had been violated. His offense was in first having made himself a preferential beneficiary

Animosity Toward President.

But undoubtedly this more indulgent disposition toward Senator Tillman is due to the growing animosity which nearly all members of congress feel toward the president. It is well nigh the unanimous opinion that the president sought to exaggerate Senator Tillman's offense and that in doing so he was moved both by personal hatred of Senator Tillman as well as by a desire still further to injure the reputation of the senate

The bitterness of feeling toward the president intensifies rather than

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abates. It is now manifestly the purpose both of the senate and of the house not only to take up the gage of battle which he has thrown to them but to fight him aggressively. To this end while the house is gathering evidence to show that he has created a secret police far greater than any one has imagined the senate in the same unimpaired spirit is going to try to prove that he has been a reckless spender of government money devoting some funds not only to purposes which were clearly intended but in ways that were clearly violative of law

Tillman to Speak Again.

Meanwhile Senator Tillman is gathering data for another speech. The purpose of this speech is to show that however blunt may be his own sense of propriety it is at least as acute as that of the president. To accomplish his purpose he is said to be making researches to a time as far back as when President Roosevelt was a civil service commissioner. It is perhaps unnecessary to say that in this enterprise Senator Tillman is receiving plenty of encouragement on both sides of the chamber. All these things are timed to happen during the closing days—during closing hours one might say of President Roosevelt's administration so that as far as congress may accomplish it his exit from the White House will be in a blaze of anything else than glory

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No. 511 due 4:10 p. m.
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No. 509 due 9:40 a. m.
No. 507 due 9:00 p. m.

M. K. & T.

Southbound.
No. 111 due 11:10 a. m.
Northbound.
No. 112 due 4:05 p. m.

OKLAHOMA CENTRAL.

Westbound.
No. 3 due 10:32 a. m.
Eastbound.
No. 2 due 4:07 p. m.

W. M. McWhirt of Roff transacted business in Ada today.

All kinds of feed at M. Walsh's. 247d3t

C. W. Moran was over from Roff this morning.

Hot nerver at Ramsey's. 240tr

W. M. Bowman of Roff was in Ada today.

A. W. Cape of Pittsburgh was a business visitor in Ada today.

Hot chocolate at Ramsey's. 240tr

Mrs. N. B. Shands of Wewoka is visiting her mother, Mrs. Stevenson.

Miss Ruth Sowers has returned from a visit in Denison, Tex.

W. A. Alexander made a business trip to Francis today.

Mr. Kerens, who has been transacting business in Ada for several weeks returned to Pauls Valley this morning.

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C. Nash returned this morning from Waxahatchie and Dallas, Tex., where he attended the burial of his brother-in-law, P. L. Clinton. Mrs. Nash remained with Mrs. Clinton, who is in a state of nervous prostration.

Jno. P. Hall, of Muskogee, representing the Union Central Life and Trust Company of that city, with a capitalization of a half million dollars, is in Ada on business. He is a genial gentleman and experienced politician, having been one of Gov. Haskell's managers at Muskogee.

Joe Sloan of Center was in Ada yesterday evening.

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Notice.
During my absence in Chicago for surgical study in hospitals, my partner, Dr. Faust, will attend to my practice. I will be gone about one month.
DR. H. BROWALL.

CHAPMAN

The Shoe Man

East Main Street, Ada, Okla.

W. E. Tigner, of Roff, is a visitor in the city today.

J. T. Tigner, of Conway, is in Ada today.

W. McWhirt, the oil mill man of Roff, is in the city on business today.

County Treasurer Henry J. Bond of Atoka, a full-blood Choctaw, is in Ada today, on business.

Mrs. J. O. Dowell, of Fate, Texas, and J. M. Perry, of Garland, Texas, attended the funeral today of their brother, Robert McCain, which was conducted by Rev. W. M. Wilson, and the remains interred in Rosedale cemetery.

Berry Jones of Oakman was in town today after medicine for his brother, Hiram Jones, who is afflicted with rheumatism, living 15 miles northeast of Ada, and also reports that Lee Hodge of Oakman, his brother-in-law is very low with consumption.

More Land Assessed.

County Clerk Kerr says that about \$10,000 worth of land has been added for taxation since the report of the assessors, and nearly all of this has been voluntarily made, where it was overlooked.

Among those reporting \$2,000 worth of the land is County Treasurer Bond, of Atoka.

Hose and Reel Arrived.

The one thousand feet of fire hose and hand reel have arrived, so the Ada fire department is now better prepared to contend with any conflagrations.

It is contemplated to put one hand reel in North Ada and the other in south or east residence section, each reel with about 800 feet of hose, while the wagon and team will cover the business district.

Then Held Prayer Meeting.

Woodward, Okla., Jan. 12.—The breaking of a big dam on the George Ray ranch, southwest of Woodward, flooded the lower country and greatly endangered the lives of numerous farmers and their families, as the force of the water carried everything before it. Following the announcement that no lives were lost, Mr. Ray called a prayer meeting of all neighbors at his residence last night, and a thanksgiving service was continued until past midnight.

One of the pleasantest tokens of coming days lies in the appearance of the new drama by Hal Reid called, "The Cow-Puncher" which opens a one night engagement at the Ada Opera House on Thursday night, Jan. 11th. It has already established itself into high favor in the East, after dreary monotonous string of lurid plays the indulgent public has been subjected to in the past seasons, this simple but interesting play of life on the plains of Arizona comes to us like a cooling draught of water fresh from the well of nature. Its chief charm is its plain and wholesome sentiment. Not that it is an ordinary drama, it is too honest and grave for that, there are no affectations or appeals for maudlin sentiment. It appeals to the heart, and at times flashes of bright comedy creep forth that seem to fit in, and lend color and atmosphere to the story. An excellent cast has been provided. W. F. Mann, the producer has spent a small fortune on the two carloads of scenery, electrical effects and properties necessary for its production, and we are expecting the "Cow-Puncher" to prove one of the pleasantest dramatic events of the season. At the Ada opera house, Thursday, night, Jan. 14.

Profitable to the County.

Register of Deeds Hargis is one profitable officeholder that Pontotoc county has, as the fees in excess of salary up to date, amount to \$422.00. The office of register of deeds is kept in a most excellent manner and in a way to expedite the work.

Okla. State Bank.

The stockholders of the Oklahoma State Bank held a meeting yesterday evening and elected the following directors:

J. W. Hays, W. H. Ebey, W. D. Hays, C. W. Floyd, B. H. Epperson, R. W. Simpson, Jno. P. Crawford, F. S. Hought and L. E. Patterson.

The directors then elected the following officers:

J. W. Hays, president; W. H. Ebey, vice president; W. D. Hays, cashier; L. A. Ellison, assistant cashier.

A satisfactory business was reported by the officers of the Oklahoma State bank with which the stockholders were much pleased.

A strong board of directors has been selected for the Oklahoma State bank, and together with the former officers who are experienced and popular, that solid financial institution will be as successful in the future as it has in the past.

FOUND—Any one losing a small sum of money on Main street, enquire at News office and receive information and pay for this notice. 248dtr

The Pension Roll.

During the entire year ending June 30, 1908, the total number of pensioners on the roll was 1,006,053. At the close of the year there were on the roll 951,687 pensioners—658,071 soldiers and sailors, 293,106 widows and orphans, and 510 army nurses. The gains to the roll during the year were 37,605 new pensioners and 1,073 restorations and renewals, a total of 38,678. Of this number, 339 were pensioned by special acts of congress. The losses to the roll during the same time were 50,676 by death and 3,690 from other causes, a total of 54,366. The net loss for the year, therefore, was 15,688.

The number of deaths of soldiers and sailor pensioners of the civil war for the year was 24,333.

THE KATY FLYER IS WRECKED

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 12.—Twenty-two persons were injured, four of them seriously, this afternoon when the Katy Flyer from Texas went into the ditch at Hamburg, Mo., while rounding a curve at thirty-five miles an hour. The 200 passengers on the train were thrown headlong in every direction when the pipe coaches left the track and the majority of those inside the coaches escaped by climbing out of windows. The injured were lifted out the same way and for nearly two hours they stood about in the immense snowdrifts along the track waiting for a relief train.

Due into St. Louis at 8 a. m. the train was eight hours late at Hamburg, a hamlet of less than 200 people. Two engines were battling their way through the drifts, the Flyer being the first train through today. While plunging around the curve where the wreck occurred, the front trucks on the first car, a chair car, gave way, and every coach followed it from the tracks.

Order for Hearing Petition to Sell Real Estate by Guardian.

State of Oklahoma, Pontotoc County, ss. In County Court.

In the matter of the guardianship of Caroline Illetwahke, Malina Illetwahke and Peggy Illetwahke.

Now, on this 7th day of Jan. 1909, comes Charles Illetwahke as guardian of the estate of the above named wards having filed herein his petition for the sale of the real estate of said wards for the reasons in said petition stated.

IT IS ORDERED, That said petition be and hereby is set for hearing on the 8th day of February, A. D., 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m., at which time the next of kin and all persons interested in the estate of said wards are required to appear and show cause, if any they have, why an order should not be granted for the sale of so much of the real estate of said wards as is necessary for the reasons in said petition stated, or that personal service hereof be made upon said next of kin and persons interested in the estate of said wards as required by law. It is further ordered that a copy of this order be published for 10 successive days in the Ada Daily News of Ada, Okla.

JOEL TERRELL,

County Judge.

Dated this 7th day of Jan. 1909. 244d10c

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COALGATE MINERS ON STRIKE

Coalgate, Okla., Jan. 12.—With pick and shovel, one thousand miners employed in the Coalgate coal mines, walked out on strike today prepared to refuse to work until the operators agree to observe the state law providing that only sufficient blasting powder for one day's use be carried into the mine.

The walkout followed a dispute with the operators. The miners demanded that the officials not permit more than enough powder for 24 hours' use to be taken into the pits. This the coal barons refused to sanction and the tie-up resulted. The men claim that the companies are violating the state mining law in this respect.

Should the cold weather which now prevails, last longer than a week it is probable that the strike will have a telling effect. The men are firm in the determination not to give in and, on the other hand, the mine officials are equally positive that the strike will be broken.

An effort looking toward arbitration of the differences between the two factions will probably be made if strike is not settled within a reasonable time.

Tall Lifting.

Many remarkable but yet properly vouched for feats of skill are recorded of professional golfers. Thus on one occasion when in his prime the late Tom Morris, Sr., undertook to demonstrate his ability in lifting a ball. For this purpose he stood in a quarry underneath the familiar Hallowing bridge and sent a number of "gutties" in succession, up to the footpath at the top, a height of nearly 150 yards. Probably without knowing it in doing so he was emulating an earlier performance of an Edinburgh player who once drove half a dozen balls over the spire of St. Giles' cathedral from the level of the street.

Given the Mitten.

One cold day a lovesick young man, who had for some time harassed a young lady with his attentions, was hurrying along the street behind this very young lady when he perceived, with delight, something drop from her muff to the sidewalk.

Picking it up, the gallant young man rushed ahead and, accosting her, smilingly held out her recovered property.

Without deigning to accept it, she eyed him coldly a moment, then said: "You may keep it, it's my mitten."

Bad Scoring.

"Yes, he's one of the worst marks men I ever met."
"Never misses up the target, eh?"
"I should say no! Why, when he goes to vote he can't even get the cross in the circle."

A Mexican Dish.

Into a baking dish put a layer of macaroni (after it has been thoroughly cooked in salted water), then a few spoonfuls of gravy from roast beef; cover with tomato catsup, then another layer of macaroni, gravy and catsup on top. Set in the oven to brown.

Church Directory

First Baptist Church.

No pastor at present; Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Sunday School 9:45 a. m., W. U. Duncan, superintendent. B. Y. P. U. Sunday afternoon at 6:30.

Christian Church

Services Sunday morning at 11 and Sunday evening at 7:30. Rev. C. E. Smoot, pastor. Sunday School at 10 a. m., L. T. Walters, superintendent. Ladies Aid meets first and third Wednesdays and C. W. B. M. first Thursday in each month. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30.

First Presbyterian Church.

Services every Sunday morning at 11 and evening at 7:30. Rev. W. T. Ahrensbeck, pastor. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m., J. T. Higgins, superintendent. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30. Ladies Aid Society meets every other Wednesday.

Presbyterian Church.

Services Sunday morning at 11 and Sunday evening at 7:30. Rev. J. D. White, pastor. Sunday School at 9:45, Orville Sneed, superintendent. Junior Endeavor society meets every Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Ladies Aid Society meets every Monday afternoon at 2:30.

North Ada Baptist Church.

Services every Sunday morning at 11 and Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. Rev. D. J. Austin, pastor. Sunday School every Sunday morning at 9:45, A. N. Harrison, super-

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CIVILIZED MAN ALONE SNORES.

Unpleasant Habit Absolutely Unknown Among Savages.

It is a truism that a one ever heard of a snoring savage. In fact if the wild man of the woods and plains does not sleep quietly he runs the risk of being discovered by his enemy and the scalp of the snorer would soon adorn the belt of his crafty and more quietly sleeping adversary. With civilization however we have changed all this. declares a writer in Health. The impure air of our sleeping rooms induces all manner of catarrhal affections. The nasal passages are the first to become affected. Instead of warming the inspired air on the way to the lungs and removing from it the dangerous impurities with which it is loaded the nose becomes obstructed. A part of the air enters and escapes by the mouth. The veil of the palate vibrates between the two currents—that through the mouth and the one still passing through the partially closed nostrils—like a torn sail in the wind. The snore then means that the sleeper's mouth is partially open that his nose is partially closed and that his lungs are in danger from the air not being properly warmed and purified. From the continued operation of these causes—the increase of impure air in sleeping rooms and permitting habit ual snorers to escape killing and scalping—some scientist has predicted that in the future all men (and all women too) will snore. It goes along with decay of the teeth and baldness.

FEW WORDS, BUT TO THE POINT

Elder Evidently Meant There Should Be No Misunderstanding

Last summer the congregation of a little kirk in the Highlands of Scotland was greatly disturbed and mystified by the appearance in its midst of an English lady who made use of an ear trumpet during the sermon—such an instrument being entirely unknown in those simple parts.

There was much discussion of the matter and it was finally decided that one of the elders—who had great local reputation as a man of parts—should be deputed to settle the question.

On the next Sabbath the unassuming offender again made her appearance and again produced the trumpet, whereupon the chosen elder rose from his seat and marched down the aisle to where the old lady sat and entreating her with an upraised finger said sternly:

The first foot—were out!—Harper's

A Good Inheritance

No boy or girl can ever come to be utterly bad who remembers only love and tenderness and unselfishness and sweetness as associated with father and mother in the old time home. Give them manly and womanly examples give them training give them the inspiration of devoted lives give them these higher deeper things. Do not care so much as to whether you are accumulating money so that you can leave them a fortune. I really believe that the chances are against that being a blessing for a boy. But leave them an accumulated fortune of memories and inspirations and examples and hopes so that they are rich in brain and heart and soul and service. Then if you happen to leave them a fortune besides if they have all these qualities of evil and will become an instrument of the highest and noblest good.—Minor I. Savage

Was He Delirious?

'Almost every man says a Baltimore specialist learns sooner or later to think of his doctor as one of his best friends but this fact does not hinder the world from laughing at the profession. How is our patient this morning? asked a physician a fellow graduate of mine of a patient's brother. Oh he's much worse came from the other in a tone of dejection. He's been delirious for several hours. At three o'clock he said 'What an old woman that doctor of mine is!' and he hasn't made a rational remark since.—Lippincott's

Pistols for Two

Mr Burr to Mr Hamilton. You must perceive sir the necessity of a prompt and unqualified acknowledgment or denial of the use of any expression which would warrant the assertions of Dr Cooper.

Mr Hamilton to Mr Burr. Your first letter in a style too peremptory made a demand in my opinion unprecedented and unwarrantable but by your last letter containing expressions indecorous and improper you have increased the difficulties to explanation infinitely incident to the nature of your application.

To Be Original Be Honest and Sincere

To be original we must be natural that is enough and if we are honest and sincere we shall be original. Begin each day with a mind as open as a child's negatively alive to the new world and the new year that begins with every dawn reverence our impulses respect them as we would the tenderest shoots from our costliest bulbs. Theory knowledge precedents kill impulse even as certainly as life murders youth.—Gutzon Borgum in Craftsman

Flattering.

Crusty Old Croesus—You do not appreciate in the least what I did for you when I made you my wife. Gay Young Wife But I will when I'm your widow



"God Give me this little gal to care for, and I'm going to care right for her." Scene from "The Cow Puncher." At Ada Opera House, January 14, 1909

FROM FEES TO SALARY BASIS

(Guthrie Okla.) Jan 1.—Senator Graham's bill to change the office of clerk of the supreme court from a fee to a salary compensation will be introduced next week with which the clerk is in constant contact. The office is elective by the people where as in many states elective by the judges and here it is placed on the same basis as the governor or any other state officer except as to compensation. Under the proposed change all the fees coming to the clerk's office are placed in the general state revenue fund and out of the public funds the clerk one deputy and four stenographers are to draw salaries. The clerk's pay will be about \$500 per annum. As it is the clerk receives all the fees and pays the help retaining what is left for himself.

Companion to the Graham bill is one by Senator Franklin establishing a new schedule of fees for the office which is an average of the schedules of Texas Arkansas and Alabama. It is some lower than that of Texas.

The supreme court clerk in Oklahoma is also clerk of the court of criminal appeals. Under the system here appeals may be taken from the seventy-five county courts to the supreme court of criminal appeals likewise from the twenty-one district courts and considering it on a unit basis the office is required to take care of appeals from 192 courts. The system of California and Texas were followed by the constitutional convention in drafting the judicial machinery for Oklahoma. In Texas it is shown there is a supreme court and a court of criminal appeals with intermediate tribunals in five judicial districts. Each court is served by a special clerk and stenographers who receive salaries and a percentage of the fees. The new state was required by the enabling act to assume a vast amount of litigation from both territories and since the land in the eastern portion of the state is becoming taxable and alienable it is pointed out that the volume of business from these courts not begun.

SENATOR JEFF DAVIS ILL.

Wins Suit With a Fee of \$70,000. St. Louis Mo. Jan 12.—United States Senator Jeff Davis of Arkansas is ill in a St. Louis hotel and his family has been summoned. The Senator was obliged to retire from a case in the United States circuit court.

The nature of his illness can not be definitely learned the Senator claiming he is suffering from a severe cold only and at the worst admits he was threatened with pneumonia. Physicians say he is suffering from blood poisoning, which was brought on by vaccination. He

has had a high fever all afternoon but got out a statement tonight that he was feeling much better and that there was nothing serious the matter with him.

The Senator won a case involving \$75,000 in court but he was not present when the verdict was read in his address to the jury the Senator said.

Gentlemen I am not well I can not talk to you as I ought to do as I would like to I ought to be in bed now and I intend as soon as I finish my talk to go to bed. With this introduction he spoke very briefly and was assisted to a carriage and driven to his hotel leaving his case to his partner U. L. Wendt of Russellville Ark. his home town.

RUTHERFORD MESSENGER.

Muskogee Man to Carry Oklahoma's Bryan Vote.

(Guthrie Okla.) Jan 12.—Wor-ton Rutherford of Muskogee former United States marshal and one of the candidates against Robt. J. Owen for the democratic nomination for United States senator two years ago was today elected as the first Oklahoma messenger to carry Oklahoma's electoral vote to Washington. The electors met here at noon today in accordance with the requirements of the constitution.

The electors besides Rutherford are George C. White housekeeper Sayre George L. Bowman Kingfisher I. W. Brennan Thomas D. A. Mc Dougall Sapulpa Preston A. Lester McAlester and J. E. Bibbons Purcell.

Rutherford who headed the list of democratic electors on the ballot received the highest number of votes 122,353 some of the others falling 600 behind him. The republican electors received 109,942 to 110,474 the populists 407 and the independence league 245.

Notice of Hearing Petition for Appointment of Administrator.

State of Oklahoma Pontotoc County In County Court.

In the matter of the estate of J. Arthur Seabolt deceased.

To the Heirs Next of Kin and Creditors of J. Arthur Seabolt deceased. You are hereby notified that Deanie Day Seabolt has applied to the County Court of Pontotoc County State of Oklahoma for letters of administration on the estate of J. Arthur Seabolt deceased and that said application will be heard in the Court room of said County in the City of Ada in said County on the 11 day of January 1909 at 1 o'clock p. m. at which time and place any person interested may appear and show cause if any they have why such petition should not be granted.

Witness my hand and the Seal of said Court hereunto affixed this 2nd day of Jan 1909.

JOEL TERRELL, County Judge.

100 KILLED IN A MINE

(Rumok- Va. Jan 12.—Officers of the Norfolk and Western Railroad said to night it was believed at least one hundred miners had been killed in the Lick Branch mine explosion today. The explosion was of much greater force than the one that occurred two weeks ago when several score of lives were lost.

Today heavy timbers were thrown out of the mouth of the mine and several hundred feet into the air. One hundred coffins have been shipped from Columbus Ohio on a train to night to the scene of the accident.

Only Three Escaped.

Of the men under ground at the time of the explosion it is said that only three succeeded in making their escape and these were the foreman the brakeman and Bank Boss Bowers. The first named was able to get out of the death trap by crawling. Intense excitement reigns about the mine and everything possible is being done to carry assistance to the entombed men. The cause of the accident has not yet been determined.

The West Virginia State Mine Inspector Phillips is on the ground leading the rescue work.

ATTORNEY GENERAL FILES SUIT.

Thinks Standard Oil and Others Restrained Trade.

(Guthrie Okla. 12.—Suit was filed tonight by Attorney General West in the name of the state against the Standard Oil the National Transit and the Prairie Oil and Gas Companies asking that subpoenas be issued for their officers to appear before the court and testify. The petition alleges that within the last three years the defendants have formed a conspiracy in restraint of trade within Oklahoma. It is also charged that the Standard Oil Company owns the Prairie Oil and Gas Company which he declares is operating in violation of law by acting as a common carrier and at the same time purchasing oil.

Attorney General West announced that the suit is filed independent of any request from the governor.

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